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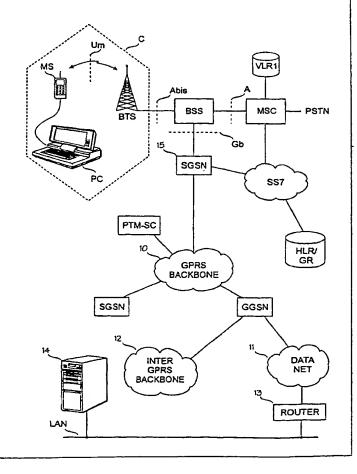
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(57) Abstract

A method of paging a mobile station (MS) to establish a packet–switched connection in a mobile telephone network that supports a circuit–switched connection and a packet–switched connection. To establish a mobile–terminated circuit–switched connection, the mobile telephone network sends the mobile station a page request, as a result of which the mobile station switches to standby mode for a circuit–switched connection. To save the batteries and to reduce the need of processing, the mobile station listens only to the paging channels of the circuit–switched connection. To establish a mobile–terminated packet–switched connection, the mobile telephone network sends the mobile station a page request via a circuit–switched connection and subsequently sends the mobile station the additional information commanding the mobile station to switch to a packet–switched connection. After detecting the additional information, the mobile station switches to the packet–switched connection.



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